# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: PHILIPS RECALLED CPAP,

BI-LEVEL PAP, AND MECHANICAL

VENTILATOR PRODUCTS

LITIGATION

Master Docket: Misc. No. 21-mc-1230-JFC

MDL No. 3014

: SHORT FORM COMPLAINT FOR

: PERSONAL INJURIES, DAMAGES,

AND DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

Case No. 2:21-cv-01908

THOMAS MCGEE

This Document Relates to:

Plaintiff(s) incorporate(s) by reference the Amended Master Long Form Complaint for

Personal Injuries, Damages and Demand for Jury Trial filed in In re Philips Recalled CPAP, Bi-

Level PAP, and Mechanical Ventilator Products Litigation, MDL No. 3014, Master Docket Misc.

No. 21-mc-1230 (the "Master Long Form Complaint"). This Short Form Complaint adopts the

allegations, claims, and requested relief as set forth in the Master Long Form Complaint. As

necessary herein, Plaintiff(s) may include: (a) additional claims and allegations against

Defendants; and/or (b) additional claims and allegations against other Defendants not listed in the

Master Long Form Complaint.

Plaintiff(s) further allege(s) as follows:

### I. **DEFENDANTS**

1. Plaintiff(s) name(s) the following Defendants in this action:

Koninklijke Philips N.V.

Philips North America LLC.

Philips RS North America LLC.

		Philips Holding USA Inc.
		Philips RS North America Holding Corporation.
		Polymer Technologies, Inc.
		Polymer Molded Products LLC.
II.	PLAI	NTIFF(S)
	2.	Name of Plaintiff(s): Thomas McGee
	3.	Name of spouse of Plaintiff (if loss of consortium claim is being made): Not Applicable
	4.	Name and capacity ( <i>i.e.</i> , executor, administrator, guardian, conservator, etc.) of other Plaintiff, if any: Not Applicable
	5.	State(s) of residence of Plaintiff(s) (if the Recalled Device user is deceased, residence at the time of death): Idaho
III.	DESI	GNATED FORUM
	6.	Identify the forum (United States District Court and Division) in which the Plaintiff would have filed in the absence of direct filing:
		Western District of Pennsylvania

## IV. USE OF A RECALLED DEVICE

7. Plaintiff used the following Recalled Device(s):

E30 (Emergency Use Authorization)	Dorma 500
DreamStation ASV	REMstar SE Auto
DreamStation ST, AVAPS	Trilogy 100
SystemOne ASV4	Trilogy 200
C-Series ASV	Garbin Plus, Aeris, LifeVent
C-Series S/T and AVAPS	A-Series BiPAP Hybrid A30 (not marketed
OmniLab Advanced +	in U.S.)
SystemOne (Q-Series)	A-Series BiPAP V30 Auto
☐ DreamStation	A-Series BiPAP A40
DreamStation Go	A-Series BiPAP A30
Dorma 400	Other Philips Respironics Device; if other,
	identify the model:
V. INJURIES	
	physical injuries as a result of using a Recalled ant symptoms and consequences associated
COPD (new or worsening)	
Asthma (new or worsening	)
Pulmonary Fibrosis	
Other Pulmonary Damage/	Inflammatory Response
Cancer	(specify cancer)
Kidney Damage	
Liver Damage	

Heart Damage		
Death		
Other (specify)		

#### VI. CAUSES OF ACTION/DAMAGES

9. As to Koninklijke Philips N.V., Plaintiff(s) adopt(s) the following claims asserted in the Master Long Form Complaint for Personal Injuries, Damages and Demand for Jury Trial, and the allegations and prayer for relief with regard thereto, as set forth therein:

Count I: Negligence

Count II: Strict Liability: Design Defect

Count III: Negligent Design

Count IV: Strict Liability: Failure to Warn

Count V: Negligent Failure to Warn

Count VI: Negligent Recall

Count VII: Battery

Count VIII: Strict Liability: Manufacturing Defect

Count IX: Negligent Manufacturing

Count X: Breach of Express Warranty

Count XI: Breach of the Implied Warranty of Merchantability

Count XII: Breach of the Implied Warranty of Usability

Count XIII: Fraud

Count XIV: Negligent Misrepresentation

Count XV:	Negligence Per Se
Count XVI:	Consumer Fraud and/or Unfair and Deceptive Practices Under State Law
Count XVII:	Unjust Enrichment
Count XVIII:	Loss of Consortium
Count XIX:	Survivorship and Wrongful Death
Count XX:	Medical Monitoring
Count XXI:	Punitive Damages
Count XXII:	Other [specify below]
asserted in the Mast	h America LLC, Plaintiff(s) adopt(s) the following claims ter Long Form Complaint for Personal Injuries, Damages and al, and the allegations and prayer for relief with regard thereto,
Count I:	Negligence
Count II:	Strict Liability: Design Defect
<b>X</b> Count III:	Negligent Design

Strict Liability: Failure to Warn

Strict Liability: Manufacturing Defect

Negligent Failure to Warn

Negligent Recall

Battery

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Count IV:

Count V:

Count VI:

Count VII:

Count VIII:

Count IX:

Negligent Manufacturing

Count X: Breach of Express Warranty Count XI: Breach of the Implied Warranty of Merchantability Count XII: Breach of the Implied Warranty of Usability Count XIII: Fraud Count XIV: Negligent Misrepresentation Count XV: Negligence Per Se ✓ Count XVI: Consumer Fraud and/or Unfair and Deceptive Practices Under State Law Count XVII: Unjust Enrichment Count XVIII: Loss of Consortium Count XIX: Survivorship and Wrongful Death Count XX: Medical Monitoring Count XXI: **Punitive Damages** Count XXII: Other [specify below]

11. As to Philips RS North America LLC, Plaintiff(s) adopt(s) the following claims asserted in the Master Long Form Complaint for Personal Injuries, Damages and Demand for Jury Trial, and the allegations and prayer for relief with regard thereto, as set forth therein:

Count I: Negligence

Count II: Strict Liability: Design Defect

Count III: Negligent Design

Count IV: Strict Liability: Failure to Warn

Count V:	Negligent Failure to Warn
<b>X</b> Count VI:	Negligent Recall
Count VII:	Battery
Count VIII:	Strict Liability: Manufacturing Defect
<b>X</b> Count IX:	Negligent Manufacturing
Count X:	Breach of Express Warranty
Count XI:	Breach of the Implied Warranty of Merchantability
Count XII:	Breach of the Implied Warranty of Usability
Count XIII:	Fraud
Count XIV:	Negligent Misrepresentation
<b>X</b> Count XV:	Negligence Per Se
✓ Count XVI:	Consumer Fraud and/or Unfair and Deceptive Practices Under State Law
Count XVII:	Unjust Enrichment
Count XVIII:	Loss of Consortium
Count XIX:	Survivorship and Wrongful Death
Count XX:	Medical Monitoring
Count XXI:	Punitive Damages
Count XXII:	Other [specify below]

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12.	in the Master Long	ng USA Inc., Plaintiff(s) adopt(s) the following claims asserted Form Complaint for Personal Injuries, Damages and Demand he allegations and prayer for relief with regard thereto, as set
	Count I:	Negligence
	Count II:	Strict Liability: Design Defect
	Count III:	Negligent Design
	Count IV:	Strict Liability: Failure to Warn
	Count V:	Negligent Failure to Warn
	Count VI:	Negligent Recall
	Count VII:	Battery
	Count VIII:	Strict Liability: Manufacturing Defect
	Count IX:	Negligent Manufacturing
	Count X:	Breach of Express Warranty
	Count XI:	Breach of the Implied Warranty of Merchantability
	Count XII:	Breach of the Implied Warranty of Usability
	Count XIII:	Fraud
	Count XIV:	Negligent Misrepresentation
	Count XV:	Negligence Per Se
	Count XVI:	Consumer Fraud and/or Unfair and Deceptive Practices Under State Law
	Count XVII:	Unjust Enrichment
	Count XVIII:	Loss of Consortium
	Count XIX:	Survivorship and Wrongful Death
	Count XX:	Medical Monitoring

Count XXI: Punitive Damages

Count XXII: Other [specify below]

13. As to Philips RS North America Holding Corporation, Plaintiff(s) adopt(s) the following claims asserted in the Master Long Form Complaint for Personal Injuries, Damages and Demand for Jury Trial, and the allegations and prayer for relief with regard thereto, as set forth therein:

Count I: Negligence

Count II: Strict Liability: Design Defect

Count III: Negligent Design

Count IV: Strict Liability: Failure to Warn

Count V: Negligent Failure to Warn

Count VI: Negligent Recall

Count VII: Battery

Count VIII: Strict Liability: Manufacturing Defect

Count IX: Negligent Manufacturing

Count X: Breach of Express Warranty

Count XI: Breach of the Implied Warranty of Merchantability

Count XII: Breach of the Implied Warranty of Usability

Count XIII: Fraud

Count XIV: Negligent Misrepresentation

Count XV: Negligence Per Se

	Count XVI:	Consumer Fraud and/or Unfair and Deceptive Practices Under State Law
	Count XVII:	Unjust Enrichment
	Count XVIII:	Loss of Consortium
	Count XIX:	Survivorship and Wrongful Death
	Count XX:	Medical Monitoring
	Count XXI:	Punitive Damages
	Count XXII:	Other [specify below]
4.	asserted in the Mass Demand for Jury Tri as set forth therein:	chnologies, Inc., Plaintiff(s) adopt(s) the following claims for Long Form Complaint for Personal Injuries, Damages and al, and the allegations and prayer for relief with regard thereto.  Negligence
	✓ Count I:	Negligence
	✓ Count II:	Strict Liability: Design Defect
	✓ Count III:	
		Negligent Design
	Count IV:	Negligent Design Strict Liability: Failure to Warn
	✓ Count IV: ✓ Count V:	
		Strict Liability: Failure to Warn
	Count V:	Strict Liability: Failure to Warn  Negligent Failure to Warn
	Count V:	Strict Liability: Failure to Warn  Negligent Failure to Warn  Strict Liability: Manufacturing Defect
	Count V: Count VIII: Count IX:	Strict Liability: Failure to Warn  Negligent Failure to Warn  Strict Liability: Manufacturing Defect  Negligent Manufacturing
	Count V: Count VIII: Count IX: Count XIII:	Strict Liability: Failure to Warn  Negligent Failure to Warn  Strict Liability: Manufacturing Defect  Negligent Manufacturing  Fraud

Count XVIII:	Loss of Consortium
Count XIX:	Survivorship and Wrongful Death
Count XX:	Medical Monitoring
Count XXI:	Punitive Damages
Count XXII:	Other [specify below]
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Count I:	Negligence
Count II:	Strict Liability: Design Defect
Count III:	Negligent Design
Count IV:	Strict Liability: Failure to Warn
Count V:	Negligent Failure to Warn
Count VIII:	Strict Liability: Manufacturing Defect
Count IX:	Negligent Manufacturing
Count XIII:	Fraud
Count XIV:	Negligent Misrepresentation
Count XVII:	Unjust Enrichment
Count XVIII:	Loss of Consortium
Count XIX:	Survivorship and Wrongful Death
✓ Count XX:	Medical Monitoring

Punitive Damages
Other [specify below]
against the Defendants identified in the Master Long Form nal Injuries, Damages and Demand for Jury Trial are alleged I facts, if any, supporting these allegations must be pleaded the following additional factual allegations against the d in the Master Long Form Complaint for Personal Injuries, and for Jury Trial:
(s) that additional parties may be liable or responsible for alleged herein. Such additional parties, who will be hereafter and ants, are as follows (must name each Defendant and its
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18. Plaintiff(s) assert(s) the following additional claims and factual allegations against other Defendants named in Paragraph 16 above:

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff(s) pray(s) for relief and judgment against Defendants and all such further relief that this Court deems equitable and just as set forth in the Master Long Form Complaint for Personal Injuries, Damages and Demand for Jury Trial and any additional relief to which Plaintiff(s) may be entitled.

Date: Dec 22 2022

### /s/ David R. Buchanan

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